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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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For (title): METHOD FOR ENHANCING EPOXY ADHESION

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1. Type of Application

This application is an original application.

2. Papers Enclosed Herewith

The following papers required for a filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(b) are enclosed:

- 9 Pages of specification
- 5 Pages of claims
- 1 Page of abstract
- 2 Sheets of formal drawings

The following additional papers are enclosed:

- X Check in amount of \$1,180.00
- X Designation of Address for Receipt of PTO Corresp.
- X Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- X Assignment
- X Recordation Form Cover Sheet

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application Transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed herewith are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date November 10, 2003 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee", Mailing Label Number EV 270963029 US, addressed to: MS Patent Application, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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3. Filing Fe Calculation

The filing fee has been calculated as follows:

Basic fee for large entity	\$770
Total claims in excess of 20	(= 11) × \$18 \$198
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4. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time

<u>x</u> <u>x</u>	Basic filing fee Fee for recordation of	assignment	\$1,140 \$40
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5. Method of Payment of Fees

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6. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

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7. Address for Receipt of Patent Office Correspondence

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DESIGNATION OF ADDRESS FOR RECEIPT OF PATENT OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

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